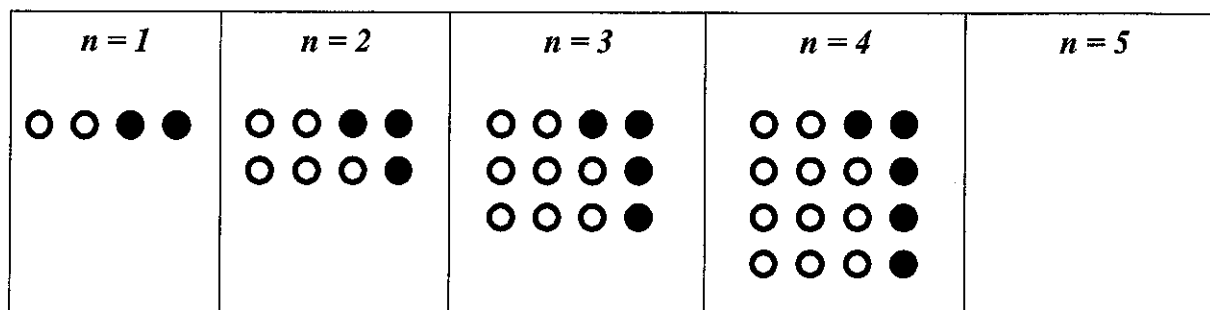


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## Sequences and Equations (revisited)

1. These dot diagrams show the beginning of a sequence of patterns:



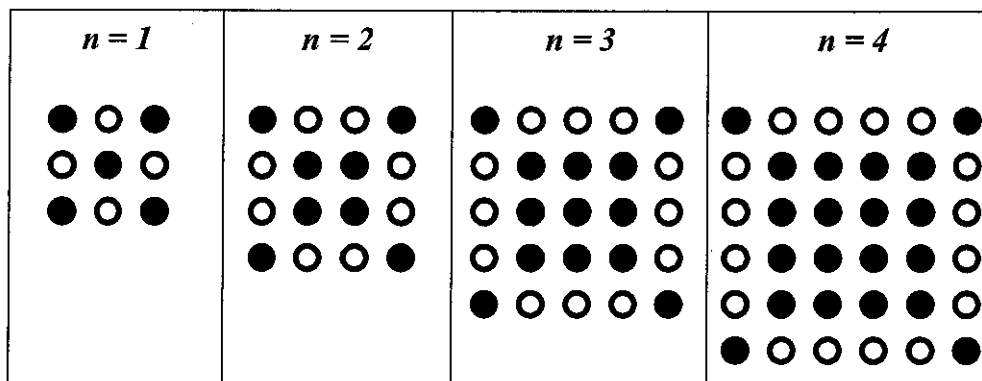
(a) Draw the fifth pattern in the sequence in the space above.

(b) The number of black dots in the  $n$ th diagram is given by the expression:  $n + 1$ .

Write algebraic expressions for the number of white dots and for the total number of dots:

Number of white dots	Number of black dots	Total number of dots
.....	$+ \quad n + 1$	$= \quad$ .....

2. These dot diagrams show the beginning of another sequence of patterns:



(a) Complete the equation below with algebraic expressions for the number of white dots, number of black dots, and total number of dots:

Number of white dots	Number of black dots	Total number of dots
.....	$+ \quad$ .....	$= \quad$ .....

(b) Rewrite the expression for the total in its simplest, factorized form, if you haven't done so already.

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## Card Set: Blank Cards

*Now make up two sequences of your own:*

$n = 1$	$n = 2$	$n = 3$	$n = 4$

$n = 1$	$n = 2$	$n = 3$	$n = 4$

White	Black	Total
	+	=

White	Black	Total
	+	=